

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION [identifying insertions and ~~deletions~~]:

In the section of the *as-filed* Specification entitled "**Brief Description of the Drawings**," please add the following new paragraph beginning at pg. 10, line 12 and prior to the section of the *as-filed* Specification entitled "**Detailed Description of the Preferred Embodiments**:"

Fig. 12 illustrates a flow chart of message processing according to one aspect of the invention.